Atheric Club.

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ROLLER POLO.—New-York against Newark, Grand Central Palace; Philadelphia
against Jersey City, Philadelphia.

BASKET-BALL.—Eastern District Young
Men's Christian Association against Bay
Ridge Athletic Club, Eastern District; Lafayette King's Sons, of Jersey City, against
Rubber Five, Greenpoint.

GOLF

BOSTON CLUBS TO ORGANIZE A DISTRICT LEAGUE-NEW LINKS AT OLD POINT COMFORT.

Golf-players in this city will be interested to learn that a movement has been started among some of the leading Boston clubs to organize a golf league similar to that of the Metropolitan Golf Associa-tion, and that the league will probably be started before the clubs make up their schedule of tourna-ments for next season. It will embrace most of the well-known clubs in Boston and the surrounding suburbs, as well as those of Nahant, Myopia, Plymenth. Essex County and other places where Bos-ton gollers gather in the summer months. Pre-cisely the same conditions are confronting the placers there as led to the formation of the Metro-politan Golf Association in this city, for with the multiplication of links there has been a consequent clasting of tournhment dates, and the result has rather onsatisfactory.

It is now proposed to assign to the district league the power of fixing dates for the different tournaments, much in the same way as is done in this city, and of controlling a series of open tournaments lasting throughout the season. Philadelphia, Chicago and other cities have their local organizations, which do not conflict in any way with the United States (loif Association, and a quiet canvass)

ing matches are sure to take place. day, Thursday and Friday of next week the Ocean club will sold a mixed foursome tourns ment for special prizes presented by the members,

County Clair all said of mixed foursome tournament for special prizes presented by the members, and entries for it should be sent to W. A. Hamilton, the secretary of later than the ember 7. On the day before the state at here is to be a big handleap, open to all distincts there is to be a big handleap, open to all distincts of the United States Golf Association, while any the Menday following New Year's clatten, while any the Menday following New Year's clatten, while any the Menday following New Year's the support of the winner and the clair will offer the minor prize. Hereafter at the Saturday handleaps they will be eighteen matead of thirty-six holes, the change before made in order that visitors may finish their contests and still have time to take part in the tournaments in the Golf Club of Lakewood, in the tournaments in the Golf Club of Lakewood, whose course is at some lattle distance from the other. What threatened to be an implement distance for a the whose course is at some lattle distance from the other. What threatened to be an implement distance for patroner as a follow will be the share of patroners as a follow will be the share of patroners as a follow will be the share to bother in a fail of the Hampton Books of Club which possesses a capital little infacture lines up for from Old Point Comfort. The draments he have set structure and in full view of Fortness Montroe, while the course, though short, is full of variety and interest. The playing length of 2.60 yards, and the names and distances of the various holes are as follows Vanity Fabr, 24 yards Great Expectations, 23; Fool's Errand, 445, Rib Barss, 23; Profess Country Club, with a nine-hole course of 219 yards. The organization is composed chiefy of Somerset people the officers being as follows W. H. Taulor, president: A. A. Clark vice-president L. C. Mack, secretary; L. D. Louisberry, treasurer. The Golf Committee of the club is composed of L. P. Gaston, J. Tompkins, J. G. Greenleaf, H. A. Smith and H. B. Wright.

The New-Played Golf Club week the following were elected to the Board of Governors: Professor W. L. Phelps. Joseph T. Whittelsey, Justus Hotchkiss, Walter B. Smith and John Red. tr

one of the oldest golf club, which, by the way, is one of the oldest golf organizations in this country, will hold what is known as a "pick-up team match" on Saturday. The teams will be made up of players to take part in the match. The members of the came will be also to take part in the match. The members of the came will be also to take part in the match. The members of the came will be also to take part in the match. teams will be picked by the Greens Committee. F. Walthew will captain one team, and the other headed by Jasper Lynch. The indications are that the contest will be as exciting as it is are that the contest will be as excelling as it is novel. A number of well-known golfers have secured rooms at the Lakewood and other hotels. These enthusiasts in nearly every instance will remain over the holidays to take part in the open tournament, which will take pilsco on New Year's Day. All signs of the snow have disappeared, the

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frost is out of the ground, and the playing was seldom better than how
Dr. Paul T. Kimball, who for several years has
been captain of the Lakewood Golf Club, has resigned. He will be succeeded by F. A. Walthew.
The sole reason for Dr. Kimball's resignation is the
pressure of professional duties. He is one of the
mast popular men in the Lakewood Golf Club, and
bis retirement caused considerable regret.

THE RACETRACK.

WINNERS ON THE INGLESIDE TRACK. San Francisco, Dec. 21.—The weather was showery and the track sloppy at Ingleside to-day. The

First race thive furlongs) - Jingle Jingle, 110 (E. Jones), to 1, wen. Silver Reau, 115 (Piggott), 2 to 1 and 4 to second. Earl Islangton, 105 (Stimpson), 10 to 1, third. United States (loff Association, and a quiet canvass of the Boston players has convinced those back of the movement that a similar league in Boston would prove a success. Some of the clubs which are researched es probable members of it are the Country Club, of Brookline, the Cambridge, Newton Centre, Wolkston, Woodhawn, Admardale, Nahant, Myopia and Plymouth Gold clubs.

The Ocean Country Hunt and Country Club, of Lakewood, is the first to announce ats plans for holiday contests, and as Lakewood is always a popular recort for golfers at this season, some interesting matches are sure to the country and the country of the country of the country club, of the country of the country club, of the co

FROST RIDES THREE WINNERS THREE FAVOR-ITES SUCCESSFUL

New-Orleans, Dec. 21.-At the Crescent City Jockey Club's winter meeting to-day the weather was clear, but the track heavy. Dolly Wetthoff, Halton and Our Chance were the winning favorites. Frost rade three winners. The summaries follow: First race (selling: one mile) Maroni, 101 (T. Burns), 7 to 2, wor, Locus: Blossom, 98 (O'Conner), 7 to 2 and 6 to 5, second: Can I See 'Em, 98 (Frost), 15 to 1, third.

Time 1:56.
Second race (five furlongs)—Dolly Weithoff, 98 (Moody),
11 to 5, won. Fell Meil 11, 98 (Frost, 7 to 1 and 2 to 1,
second, Mrs. Jimmy, 98 (Sheppard), 15 to 1, third. Time -1:001, Third race (selling; one mile)—Hine Dan, 95 (Frost), Third race (selling; one mile)—Hine Dan, 95 (Frost), 5 to 2 won, School Girl, 84 (O'Connor), 7 to 2 and 7 to 5, second; Rushfields, 101 (Guitterea), 15 to 1, third. Time second; Rushfields, 101 (Guitieres, In to).

149. Pourth race (six furious) — Halton, 94 (Frost), 7 to 10, won, Henrica, 107 (T. Burns), 9 to 2 and 6 to 5, second; Nannie Davis, 89 (Macdy), 8 to 1, third. Time—120.

Fifth race ione mile;—Our Chance, 99 (Frost), 7 to 10, won, Governor Boyd, 15 (Southard), 20 to 1 and 4 to 1, second; Voyageur, 97 (T. Burns), 15 to 1, third. Time—150.

LOUISVILLE'S SPRING MEETING.

Louisville, Dec. 21.- The new Louisville Jockey meeting which begins on Derby Day, May 4. The entries for the Kentucky Derby (\$6,000), the Clark Stakes (\$4,000) and the Kentucky Oakes (\$3,000) closed some time ago, but the entries for the other spring stakes will close on January 16. They are as fol-

The Debutante Stakes, two-year-old fillies, four fur-longs, \$1,500 Wemonth Stakes, two-year-old colls, four and a half furlongs, \$1,500

furtones, \$1,300.

Juvenile Stakes, two year olds, five furiones, \$1,200.

Bluerness Stakes, three year olds, six and a half furiones, \$1,300.

Mademoiselle Stakes, three year-old filles, seven furiones, \$1,300.

Premier Stakes, three year-olds, one mile, \$1,300.

Frank Febr Stakes, all ages, one mile, \$1,300.

Leuisville Handicap, all ages, mile and a sixteenth, \$1,500.

Spiegel, of New-York. It is supposed that the wires were tapped, as the wrong horses, the ones upon which the stranger placed his bets, were sent in.

---DEATH OF ALBERT COOPER.

Albert Cooper, the well-known colored trainer, died in a Brooklyn hospital on Tuesday. He succumbed to a complication of diseases, and his death emoves an eccentric figure from the turf. Cooper was the last remnant of the old brigade of colored trainers who flourished after the Civil War. He trained horses for several years in California, and at one period he handled E. J. Baldwin's stable. When he severed his connection with Mr. Baldwin the settlement did not satisfy Cooper, who found that, instead of a handsome sum due for services and percentages, he was in debt to his employer. He was angry, and asked Mr. Baldwin to let him see the statement. As Cooper could not read or write, Raldwin was surprised at the request Cooper write, Italowin was surprised at the request tooket took the paper and in the most serious manner looked at the figures. At last he said: "Ought is ought, and a figure is a figger; everything for Bald-win, 'n nuthin' fur de nigger." He handed the paper back to Baldwin and walked away.

Cooper trained the California division of J. B. Haggin's stable, and afterward trained for Senator Hearst, and won many notable races with Tournament. He also trained for J. R. & F. P. Keene. In recent years Cooper's lot had not fallen in pleasant places. His health failed, and his sav-ings soon disappeared. Cooper's grotesque descrip-tions of men, horses and ruces often furnished a fund of amusement for his fellow-horsemen.

BASEBALL.

ATLANTIC LEAGUE CIRCUIT.

Allentown, Penn., Dec. 21. The Atlantic League

of baseball clubs met here this afternoon with the following persons present: President, E. G. Ray Wells, Richmond: A. K. Spurler and F. P. Rinn, Lancaster; D. A. Lung, Reading; C. K. Elbernecke, Newark, Martin Swift, Scranton, William Sharsig and E. B. Douglas, Allentown, and W. S. Wright, Detroit, representing Ellis, of Paterson, whose tea expected that Wilkesbarre and Scranton will such ceed Norfolk and Hartford in the League. At to-night's meeting Paterson was expelled for franchise was declared vacant. Norfolk's resigawarded to a stock company, headed by Martin Swift and Harvey R. Long. The resignation of

to George E. Ellis, to operate wherever he chooses Scranton was admitted, and the franchise was Newark was tabled. The League officials consider owner Bloemecke's suit to dissolve the League and for \$2.500 damages only as a step to enable him to enter the Eastern League, and they will fight the case to the end. Robert E. Wright has been retained to prepare the defence. The Atlantic League circuit for next season will include Lancaster, Reading, Allentown, Scranton, Rich-mond, Newark, Hartford and either Wilkesbarre or Paterson, "Deacon" Eills will be either at Norfolk or Paterson.

DISRUPTING ATLANTIC LEAGUE

Allentown, Penn., Dec. 21 -Charles B. Bloemecke. owner of the Newark Baseball Club, this afternoon filed a bill in equity against the Atlantic League praying that the League be dissolved, and his conract rescinded; that he may join any other league its present members, and that he be allowed \$2.50 Newark franchise and players from the League for \$2,000, but that Players Carrick and Cassidy for \$2.000, but that Players Carrick and Cassidy deserted, and the Board of Arbitration has sustained their descriton. Hence he avers, the League had no jurisdiction to enter into the contract made with him, and failed to deliver that for which depaid. He also alleges that Hartford has withdrawn and Norfolk resigned, and that Paterson is in default \$3.000, while Wilkesbarre and Scranton are about to join the League, against his consent.

CYCLING. CYCLISTS TO FIGHT CAR LINES IN AM-

WHEELMEN TAKE EXCEPTION TO A STATEMENT THAT ASPHALTED STREETS CAUSE GRIP-SCHEME TO PROTECT THE BUTCLES

BICYCLE- THIEVES.

STERDAM-AVE.

The organized wheelmen of the district will lend hand to the property-owners in Harlem who are arrayed against the surface-car companies operating in Amsterdam-ave. "The statement has been made." said a prominent wirelman yesterday. "that this is a fight with which wheelmen have nothing to do. That is where they make a mistake. While it is true that Ameterdam-ave, as paved at pres-ent, does not make a good wheelway, still we have to use it at times, end we have to cross it fre-quently. The fact that the double car tracks take up almost the whole street serves to send traffic over to the Boulevard, and that is certainly inter-fering with wheelmen again. When that part of the city was given up largely to truck farms the residents were anxious to have better facilities for travelling. Many of the residents patronized the and Sixth-ave, to Manhattanville. Then, with the approva; or the residents of that district, a car company received a charter to operate a line in that thoroughfare, but it did not build the road. Later another company received a charter and built a road, and then the old company came around, asserted its rights, and built another road. The result is that the double car tracks take up the whole street, and there is only twelve reet left on each side of the tracks for general traffic. Now, while we may be unable to get the two roads to run cars on one track, we at least hope to compel them to interlace their tracks, as is done in Fourteenth-st. Amsterdam-ave, must be repaved sooner or later, and when it is it will probably be asphalted. Now, most of the city's water supply comes through under that avenue, and they tell me that at some points the car tracks actually rest on the water mains. That is a dangerous condition, which should not be allowed to exist. The West End Association is interested in the movement, and the Associated Cycling Clubs of New-York have taken a hand in the fight. The chances are that the New-York Consulate of the League of American Wheelmen will take a hand in the proceedings also. company received a charter to operate a line in that

The insinuation ascribed to President Murphy of the Board of Health, that the asphalted streets might be more or less responsible for the epidemic of grip, caused considerable discussion in places where wheelmen congregated yesterday. Dr. L. C. Leroy, a prominent member of the League of American Wheelmen and an carnest worker in the cause of good roads and clean streets, when seen said that if President Murphy made any such state-ment he thought that the president of the Board of Health had not made a careful study of the situs "Asphalt is supposed to be impervious to a certain extent," said he. "It is ridiculous to say that any deposits made on the asphalt in summer that any deposits made on the asphalt in summer would breed disease in winter. The rain keeps the asphalt clean, while it does not clean so readily Beignan-pavel streets and cobble-stones. There is a certain percentage of carbolic acid and crossote in the conformation of asphalt, which would appear to have just the opposite effect to that spoken of by the president of the Board of Health." Another prominent member of the League of American Wheelmen, who was present, said that if the streets were kept as clean as they had been under the able supervision of Colonel Waring, the Board of Health would not have to give up so much time to the streets contention. "Why, it is an accepted fact," said he, "that in the thickly populated tensment-house districts, where the streets have been asphalted, the death rate has decreased wonderfully."

Hereafter the Executive Committee of the New-York State Division of the League of American Wheelmen will hold weekly meetings on Wednesdays at the headquarters in the Vanderbiit Build-Chief Consul Belding said yesterday that he was trying to get workers in office this year, and that he did not want any one to agree to help the that he did not want any one to agree to help the division who did not expect to get to work and to keep at it during the term of his office. A. E. Crow has been appointed chairman of the Protection Plate Committee. The division will issue plates to members of the League of American Wheelmen, to be attached to their wheels and the cost of a plate will be 56 cents. A full description of the bicyci, with the number of the tag, will be kept in the office of the League of American Wheelmen, in this city. Then when a wheel is stolen the fact is made known to the proper officials, and a diligent search made for the lost property. It is argued that a bicycle thief, knowing this, would hestiate about stealing a wheel having one of these plates at-

The election of officers of the Vigilant Cycle Club resulted as follows: Max Myers, president; Solomon De Young, vice-president: Bernard Lang, treasurer; Simon Simon, financial secretary: Josiah Cantor. Simon Simon, huantial secretary; Sidney corresponding and recording secretary; Sidney Schoenauer and William Isaacs, trustees; Edward Petersen, Solomon De Young and Max Myers, delegates; Sigmund Mayer, Simon Simon and Gabe Cohn, alternates; Edward Petersen, captain; Sigmund Mayer, senior lieutenant; Maurice Rosenstraus, first Mayer, senior Beutenant; Maurice Rosend Junior Beu-ninior Heutenant; Bernard Lang, second Junior Beu-

The Race Committee of the Associated Cycling for the New Year's Eve race to Yonkers and Tarrytown. The Franklin House will be the stopping place at Tarrytown, where the bottle of wine will be secured by the lucky riders, and the Getty House will furnish the refreshments at Yonkers. Six entries have been received already for the race.

The Diana Wheelmen, of Harlem, will hold their first annual reception at No. 158 West One-hundred-and-twenty-sixth-st. on Saturday. The club was organized in the fail of 1895 and new has a member-snip of forty. In the Wheelmen's Cubiley Parade it took the special prize of a golden bugle. It is said that the contemplated six-day bicycle race for women which was to be held in this city

has been abandoned. Decent members of society rejoice in consequence. Isaac B. Potter, the president of the League of

American Wheelmen, is laid up at his home with an attack of the grip.

BICYCLE TRICK-RIDER KILLED. Syracuse, N. Y., Dec. 21.-Arthur R. Hall, a wellknown bloycle trick-rider, was instantly killed this morning by being struck on the head by a timber which fell six stories, crushing his skull. He was working on the new Frazer flathouses.

HOCKEY.

ST. PAUL'S SCHOOL DEFEATED BY AN

the hockey same between teams representing the St. Paul's School and St. Paul's Alumni, at the Se Nicholas Skating Rink. The slumni players won by a score of Trouis to 1. The schoolboys were outclassed at every point of the game, as Stoddard, Campbell and Paimer, who played on the alumni team, are members of the Yale University backey The three practically won the game. In the first half Stoddard scored a goal after five minutes fore the half was ended, Stoddard and Campbell forty seconds after the puck was put into play, and this point of the game McLane succeeded in making a goal for the schoolboys Palmer and Stoddard scored a goal each before the end of the game, making the final score 7 goals to 1

Positions Forwards 5 eferes Beldon, N. V. A. C. Goal umpires Bradi Paul Alumyi, and Ottman, St. Faul Alumni

COLUMBIA AND ANDOVER PLAY TO-NIGHT. The Columbia University hockey team will play a seven from Andover College to-night in the Cler-mont Avenue Skating Rink in Brooklyn.

PILLSBURY, BLINDFOLDED, WINS GAMES IN THE WEST

Davenport, Iowa, Dec. 21.-H. N. Pilisbury, champion chess player, yesterday won six out of eight games played blindfolded. His opponents were the best players in this section of the country. W. A. Weld and Dr. E. M. Saia, Rock Island, Ill., won one game, and J. V. Stread, of Cambridge, Ill., won cured a draw.

THE JANOWSKI-SHOWALTER MATCH. Play in the match between Janowski and Showalter will not be resumed before Wednesday. January 4. at 140 p. m. The Kentuckian telegraphed to Janowski yesterday, asking for a longer leave of absence, and the Parisian consented to it.

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FOOTBALL.

THE NYACK FIELD CLUB DEFEATED BY THE SEDGWICK ATHLETIC CLUB TEAM IN BROOKLYN.

The football teams of the Nyack Field Club and the Sedgwick Athletic Club of Brooklyn met at the Brookfyn Riding and Driving Club Jast night. and the Sedgwicks won after a hard fought batspirited contest from the beginning, and the spectators had plenty of fun. The only unfortunate cidents were injuries to Keegan and Oppikeffer, both of the Sedgwicks, which compelled their retirement from the game. Neither was seriously hurt, although Keegan was unconscious for a few minutes. The game was played in two fifteen-min-ute halves. Mr. Reynolds was referee and Mr Ellicott umpire. The teams lined up as follows:

Ward R. Right halflack Oppkoffer Balterin Parkinson Ward R. Right halflack Oppkoffer Substitutes—Davis. Rech and Van Graaf Nyack won the toss and took the ball by successive rusiles to within lifteen yards of the Sodgwick goal, where it was lost Sedgwick by aggressive work, gained several yards, and then Saptain Bennett made a run around Nyack's left end for about offeen vards. The ball was kept near the Nyack goal for the next five minutes, and then Nyack goal for the next five minutes, and then Nyack goal to the ball on downs. Nyack failed to gain and lost the ball, and then on a double passfrom Bennett to Oppikoffer to Parkinson, the latter made a beautiful run almost the entire length of the riding academy for a touchdown. For the remainder of the first half the ball was kept largely in Sedgwick's territory, and the half ended with the score 5 to 9 in favor of the locals.

With offside play and gains, Sedgwick made it look blue for the visitors in the first of the second half, and it took only five minutes' play for the Sedgwicks to score again, this time by gains through the centre. The double pass was tried again, but Parkinson was downed. Then with steady work Nyack worked the half down the field and scored a touchdown. This was all the scoring that was done, the play being evenly balanced throughout the remainder of the half. Toward the end Oppikoffer and Keegan were both severely hurt.

BOXING.

ERNE AND HAWKINS MATCHED

Frank Erne, of Buffalo, and Dal Hawkins, of San Francisco, were matched yesterday to box twenty-five rounds at the lightweight limit, 132 pounds, before the club offering the best inducements, and also a side bet of \$2,000. In all proba-bility the bout will take place on the Pacific Coas-some time in February, as several California clubs have made bids to secure the contest.

EXHIBITION BY N. Y. U. ATHLETES. A large audience turned out last evening to wit-

ness the first symnastic and athletic exhibition given by the pupils of Professor Cann, of the New-York University, at the college gymnasium. Young Jones, '62, gave an exhibition of high jumping, clearing the bar at 5 feet 6 inches. Flawson, '62, in a jump, cleared the bar at 5 feet.

in a jump, cleared the bar at 5 feet.

M. Belcher and Keene performed on the flying-rings. M. Belcher and Hermann showed their skill on the parallel bars, while B. Belcher and Hermann gave an exhibition on the horizontal bar. The relay race between the freshmen and sophomores was a close contest, the latter winning. The victorious team was composed of Reese, Young, McKillet. Deuchfield and Steingel. The course was a half-mille. Time—1.2.

CRICKET CLUB'S BOWLING TEAM. The New-York Cricket Club, which organized a

howling adjunct recently, will roll its first regular match game at the Hotel Du Nord on Friday night. The cricketers will be opposed by the team of the

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George J. Gould is determined to be an all-around golfer wing shot, polo player and yachtsman are well known. Mr. Gould is now going in for indoor sports. He has recently turned his attention to billiards. In order to perfect himself in the art he has placed himself under the tutorship of J. J. Rightwell, who has charge of the billiard-rooms at the Lakewood Hotel. Professor Rightwell visits Georgian Court three times a week to give in-struction to Mr. Gould.

KNICKERBOCKER YACHT CLUB OFFICERS. The Knickerbooker Yacht Club met last night at the Manhattan and elected the following officers Commodore, S. H. Mason, jr.: vice-commodore, W. Commodore, S. H. Massill, it recommodore, H. A. Quackenbush, treasurer, George H. Cooper, secretary, J. O. Sinkinson, measurer, John G. Honey, fleet surgeon, Dr. S. H. Boynton, directors, H. Stephenson, C. W. Schlessinger, Rodman Sands, L. Lockman, jr., and B. E. Barnes. Silk pennants were presented to the owners of boats of all classes which won races in the Saturday afternoon regattas last summer.

DETROIT MEN AT BUFFALO.

CONFERENCE REGARDING THE PROPOSED EX-POSITIONS NO AGREEMENT REACHED.

Buffalo, Dec. 21.-A delegation of Detroit men. headed by Mayor Maybury, had a conference this morning with Mayor Diehi and a committee interested in the Pan-American Exposition to be held here in 1901, Detroit desiring to celebrate its 200th anniversary in that year. The Buffalo representative held that, being the

ly done, the approval of Congress and the Legislat-ure of New-York State being stamped on the plan, and the representatives of the South and Central American States being already interested in the matter, the date of the Pan-American Exposition ould not be changed. They believed that ould celebrate its bi-centennial in 1901 if it chose could celebrate its bi-centennial in 1901 if it chose, but would only be fair in holding its exposition, if determined to have one, in 1902.

The Detroit representatives held that their plan was one intended to celebrate a given date, and could be of value to them only if held on that date. Their contention was that, as the Pan-American Exposition had been postponed once, it could be postponed again, or if so much of the preliminary work had been done, it could get its show ready in 1909, which would be a better date to celebrate the end of one century and the opening of another.

in the field, the preliminary advertising being large-

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have been \$7.50 to \$20, are now \$4.50 to